Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

PATENT Attorney Docket No. 214338 Client Reference No. 20844

Date: June 14, 2004

In re Application of: Inokuchi et al Application No.

10/007,742

Filed:

November 8, 2001

For:

SHEET MATERIAL AND PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE SHEET CONTAINING THE SAME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

	Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
\boxtimes	Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

Other:

Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the total amount indicated below. A duplicate copy of this transmittal sheet is enclosed herewith.

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TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE			three-month		\$ 0.00		\$950.00	
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CLAIM FEE	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM				+ 145=	\$	+ 290=	\$0.00	
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Main The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216.

Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted. LEYDIG, VOIT & MAYER, LTD.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2003, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8								
I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, \(\subseteq \) being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.								
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